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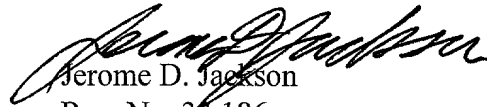
Claims 1-16 will be pending in this application after the Examiner enters the forgoing amendment.

Applicant submits that the forgoing amendment is a complete response to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers, and otherwise places the application in better condition for examination. Applicant respectfully requests that the forgoing amendment be entered before the examination of this application.

Applicant also encloses a copy of the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers.

If there are any other fees required for this Response, or for any other reason, please charge such fees to the undersigned attorney's Deposit Account No. 10-0077.

Respectfully submitted,



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## NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

*Filing Date Granted*

This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a)

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- An abstract was not provided for this application. An abstract of the technical disclosure is required under 37 CFR 1.72(b).

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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